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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated September 10, 2002 (Paper No. 7) for which a response was due on December 10, 2002 and for which a three month extension of time is also requested to extend the time for response from December 10, 2002 to March 10, 2003.

Reconsideration is respectfully requested in light of the following amendments and remarks.